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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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For: METHOD FOR CHECKING A WELD BETWEEN TWO MEAL PIPELINES

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
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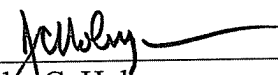
Sir:

This is a Petition for Extension of Time for a one-month period. This Petition for Extension of Time is being concurrently filed with a Response. A Credit Card Payment in the amount of \$130.00 is authorized. If the Examiner should find a discrepancy in the fees owed, please debit or credit Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

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